Alexandria Gazette

THURSDAY EVENING, FEBR'Y. 15.

A FATHER'S POWER .- In the lecture room of Columbia Law School Tuesday evening a discourse on the "Patri Potestas," or paternal power, was delivered by Mr. Isaac Van Winkle. The lecturer began by a brief synopsis of the father's authority over his legitimate children as it existed under the old Roman law. Under no other people had this power been carried to such an extreme. The children were slaves, in the full sense of the term, to the father; all that they had belonged to the father—their life, their liberty and their goods-and he could deprive them of either at his will. As the Romans became more and more enlightened this power was curtailed, first by the supervision of the republican censors and later by the decrees of the zette, a newspaper published in the city of Alexemperors. But amid all this harshness there dria, once a week for four successive weeks, and was one redeeming feature, the parent had no influence over the child's public acts. He could vote or hold office and the parent dare not attempt to control him in these matters. In France, under the Code Napoleon, somewhat the same rules were observed, but it is noticable that in modern times the paternal power ceases when the child marries or reaches the age of twenty-one, while under the Roman law the father preserved his authority as long as he lived. Under our English common law the parent has control over the property of his children, but, strange to say, is not legally bound to support them. This decirine has frequently been set aside by our courts on moral grounds, but nevertheless it is law. Of all countries the law of Scotland on the patri potestas seems the most equitable. To a great extent it is the civil law, freed from its crudities and modified by the enecessities of modern times.-N. Y. Herald.

OPENING AND CLOSING OF MAILS, - Until further notice the following will be the hours for the opening and closing of the mails: OPENING.

Northern mails, 8:45 a. m. and 7:00 p. m. Western mails, 8:45 a. m. and 7:00 p. m. Southwestern, via Lynchburg and Gordons-

ville, 7:00 p. m. Washington and Ohio, Round Hill to Alex-Manassas Division, 3:30 p. m. Southern mails, via Richmond and Fredericksburg, Va., 8:45 a. m. and 1:30 p. m. andria, 3:30 p. m.

CLOSING. Northern and Western mails, 4:45 p. m. and 9:00 p. in. Southwestern, via Gordonsville and Lynch-

Washington and Ohio, Alexandria to Round Hill, Va., 8:00 a. m. Manassas Division, 6:00 a. m.

Southern, via Fredericksburg and Richmond, Va.,4:45 p. m. and 8:30 p. m Der General delivery window closes at 8:00 p. m. Doors close at 9:00 p. m.

9:30 a, m. BUTTER COLOR-A new and perfect arti-cle for coloring butter. It is free from taste and smell, and is perfectly safe. Bottles at 25 and 50 cents each. Small size bottle will color

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just received and for sale by nov 11 WARFIELD & HALL. OUR FOURTH SUPPLY—Anderson's Unrivalled Mince Meat, New Prunes, New Currents, Raisins, Citron and Figs and assorted Nuts of best quality, received this day and for F. J. DAVIDSON, 147 King st.

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cheap by F. J. DAVIDSON, 147 King st. 10 BOXES PRIME N. Y. CHEESE, also 50 pkgs Pennsylvania Glades Butter re-

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ins, Figs, Lemons, &c., for sale by jan 23 J. C. & E. MILBURN. SPEER'S PORT GRAPE WINE and CAL-FORNIA BRANDY for sale by JANNEY & CO., No. 145 King st.,

and n. w cor. King and Royal sts. NEW ORLEANS and other grades of SUGARS received this day and for sale at bottom prices by

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BUTTER-Pkgs of Gales' and Fresh Country Butter and Eggs; also Navy Beans and Hominy for sale by W. A. JOHNSON, dec 11 N. E. cor. Cam. & Royal sts. LIRIME NOS. 1, 2 and 3 MACKEREL; also No. 1 Potomac Herring and Shad for sale by nov 26

WHITE BEANS, Split Peas, Pearl Hominy and Grits for sale by ac 29 F. J. DAVIDSON, 147 King st.

NEW CURRANTS, Prunes and Raisins received to day by oct 13 J. C. & E. MILBURN.

HOMEOPATHIC CHOCOLATE and AL-KETHREPTA for sale by G. WM. RAMSAY.

PORT, Sherry, Blackberry, Madeira and Cooking Wines for sale by W. A. JOHNSON. dec 12 DUFFEY'S NEW YORK SWEET CIDER in store and for sale by nov 25 R. W. AVERY, 226 King st.

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LEGAL NOTICES.

VIRGINIA: At Rules held in the Clerk's office of the Corporation Court of the city of Alexandria on the 7th day of February, 1877. James Smith vs. Emanuel Greenbaum and L. Greenbaum, partners, trading under the firm name of Isaac Greenbaum & Sons. Assumpsit and attachment.

Memo: The object of this suit is to recover of the defendants the sum of forty dollars, with interest thereon from the first day of August, 1876, and to attach and subject to the payment of the same the estate of or debts due to defendants in the city of Alexandria.

The defendants not having entered their appearance and given security according to the act of Assembly and the rules of this Court, and it appearing by affidavit that they are not residents of this State, it is ordered that the said defendants appear here within one month after due publication of this within one month after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect their interest in this suit; and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gaposted at the front door of the Court House of

this city. A copy, test:
MORTON MARYE, Clerk. Claughton & Stuart, p. q. feb 13-w4w

STATE OF ILLINOIS

EDGAR COUNTY.
In the Edgar County Circuit Court. To the

March torm, A.D. 1877.

Mary E. Smith

In chancery

Samuel N. Smith. In chancery. To Samuel N. Smith, the above named defend-

You are hereby notified that a bill in chancery, with a copy of which you are herewith served, will be filed against you in the Circuit Court of Edgar county, in the State of Illineis, by the said Mary E. Smith, complainant, to the March term, A.D. 1877, which term commences on the 12th day of March of the said year. Now unless you shall personally be and appear be-fore said Court on the first day of the term thereof, to be held in said county on the said 12th day of March, A. D. 1877, and plead, answer or demur to the said bill, the same and the matters therein contained, charged and stated, will be taken as confessed and a decree entered against you according to the prayer of said bill. SELLER & DOLE, feb 9-w4w* Solicitors for Complainant.

VIRGINIA: In the Clerk's office of the Corporation Court of the city of Alexandria, on the 30th day of January, 1877, R. M. Lawson vs. S. M. Smyth, R. F. Knox and George R. Shinn, the last of whom traded under the name of Shinn & Co. In chancery and upon an in-

junction. Memo.-The object of this suit is to restrain S. M. Smyth from proceeding further under an attachment against R. M. Lawson in the suit of S. M. Smyth vs. Shinn & Co., and to have the amount due by R. M. Lawson to George R. Shinn, trading under the name of Shinn & Co., being \$160.73, applied towards the payment of \$400.36, due by said Shinn to R. M. Lawson and R. F. Knox, who were jointly interested in

a certain purchase of corn from said Shinn. The defendant, George R. Shinn, not having entered his appearance and given security according to the act of Assembly, and the rules of this Court, and it appearing by adidavit that he is not a resident of this State, it is ordered that said defendant appear here within one month after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect his interest in this suit; and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the city of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House

of this city. A copy-test:
MORTON MARYE, Clerk.

quested to make prompt payment to the undersigned without delay, and those having claims against the estate, will present them duly authenticated to Robert Harper, Leesburg, Va.

W. WALTON HARPER, Adm'r.

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